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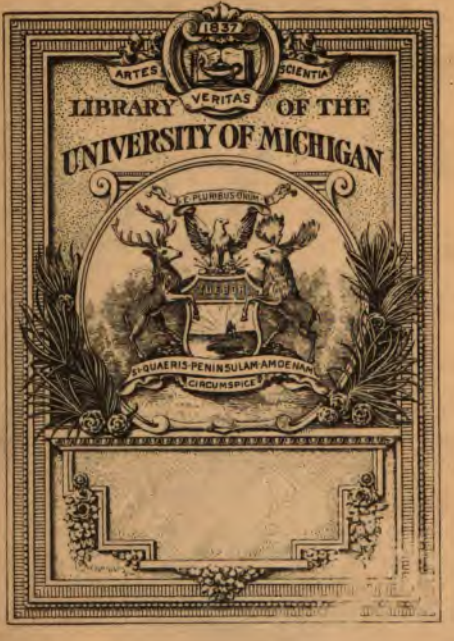
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METHOD OF MEMORIZING

THE

MATERIA MEDICA.

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DEDICATION.

TO DR. W. L. BREYFOGLE, of Louisville, Ky., once a preceptor, always a counselor and friend, this little work is affectionately dedicated, the author being actuated by the same appreciation of distinguished services and ability which has led the medical profession to accord to him its highest honors no less than by an exalted personal regard derived from a continued intimacy with and knowledge of his private life and character.

INTRODUCTORY.

AN observer would find little pleasure in contemplating the shapeless mass upon which the sculptor begins—the uncultivated eye failing to understand the possibilities lying dormant in the rude block of marble until the skillful strokes of the artisan begin to transform its crude proportions into a something with a semblance of light and shade. Then attention would be invited, and as curves and outlines became more delicate and more gracefully rounded, all else would be forgot in the contemplation of gradually awakening beauty.

So a study possessing the capabilities of becoming the most interesting in science seems at first a huge and uninviting mass; indeed, until the nucleus around which the science is to assume form and symmetry is established, continues a veritable "*pons asinorum.*" 'T is toward the lightening of this first load, as well as the consequent hasten-

ing of the *denouement*, that this little work is directed, its object, as it were, being to furnish mental leverage with which to pry into place the ponderous foundation-stones of an imposing structure; or, if you will, to soften and to flavor the *dry husks* of Materia Medica, producing a sort of pap both palatable to and easily assimilated by the tender and unformed faculties.

The "Key-Notes" now in vogue appear to have been by their very condensation divested of all handles of which Memory may lay hold. My Rules have been,

1. To give ten to thirty key-notes of each drug, treating preferably the "emergency" remedies and those with complicated pathogeneses.

2. To acrosticize.

3. To rhyme.

4. To place the most important word of each line either at its acrostic or rhyming end.

Never has practicality or terseness been made secondary to any of the elements mentioned (a fact made patent by the too evident lack of all save *phonetic* aspect to many of the rhymes, no less than by the

absence of *scanning* properties noticeable in some of the verses, all laws of poetry being sacrificed to the production of *jingle*).

I believe the six hundred or more characteristics herein contained will be acquired in one fourth the usual time. Then, when the subject-matter is well in hand, reason will easily step in and dethrone the rude rhymes which will have served their purpose.*

The work will stand or fall upon its merits, as all things must. Meantime let him who would laugh recall to mind how often he has been assisted by the little verse,

> Thirty days hath September,
> April, June, and November;
> All the rest have thirty-one,
> Save February alone,
> Which hath twenty-eight in fine,
> Till leap-year gives it twenty-nine.

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* No less illustrious precedents than Dr. Franklin and Prof. B. L. Gildersleeve can be referred to in similar works. Dr. F., in Poor Richard's Almanac, and Prof. Gildersleeve (now of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore), author of the present standard Latin Grammar, wherein the rules are frequently converted into rhyme.

REMEDIES.

1 Aconitum Napellus.
2 Aloe Soccatrina.
3 Antimonium Tartaricum. (Tartar emetic.)
4 Antimonium Crudum.
5 Apis Mellifica.
6 Arnica Montana.
7 Arsenicum Album.
8 Aurum.
9 Baptisia Tinctoria.
10 Atropa. Belladonna.
11 Bryonia Alba.
12 Calcarea Carbonicum (Ostrearum).
13 Camphora.
14 Cantharides.
15 Carbo. Vegetabilis.
16 Causticum.
17 Chamomilla.
18 China. (Cinchona.)
19 Digitalis.
20 Ferrum Metallicum.
21 Gelseminum Sempervir.
22 Graphites.
23 Hepar. Sulph. Calcarea.
24 Ipecacuhana.
25 Kali Bichromicum.
26 Lachesis.
27 Lycopodium.
28 Mercurius Vivus (sol.).
29 Natrum Muriaticum.
30 Nitric Acid.
31 Nux Vomica.
32 Opium.
33 Phosphorus.
34 Phosphoric Acid.
35 Platina.
36 Podophyllum Peltatum.
37 Pulsatilla Pratensis.
38 Rhus Toxicodendron.
39 Secale Cornutum.
40 Sepiæ Succus.
41 Silica.
42 Spongia Tosta.
43 Sulphur.
44 Veratrum Album.

EXERCISES.

1 Aconite (Sthenic Fever of).
2 Antimonium Crudum (Crude Antimony).
3 Calcarea Carbonicum.
4 Chamomilla.
5 China (Loss of Fluids).
6 Pulsatilla Pratensis.

REMEDIES.

ANXIETY, Anguish, of a crowd greatest *Fear;*
Can name day of death, and thinks it is near.
Of *Fever Inflammatory* above is a part.

Night Aggravation, tumultuous heart.

In beginning of Fevers the "*sine qua non.*"

Tingling pains; Taste is bitter, save water alone;
Use, if skin's dry and hot while covered parts sweat.
Muscular Hypertrophy, "don't you forget;"

Neuralgia, after cold, west winds;

Amenorrhea from Fright;

Pulse frequent, full, both tense and hard;

Each subject sanguineous quite.

Look out when *Croups* to choke begin,

Likewise for Hemorrhage red.

Use also for Congestions in

Single parts, as head.

Analogous to *Sulphur*,
Like congestions 't will cause
Of Portal Vein and Womb,
Espec'ly at Menopause;

Stools jellied, of varied color,
Oft with flatus loudly resounding,
Caused by *acids*, or *hot*, *rainy* weather,
Come just after eating or standing;

Also *Piles*, which "cold water makes better"—
The same under *Sulphur* 't will aggravate—
Rectum heavy, with itching and burning.
In children there 's *hunger insatiate;*
Nearly all pains are *boring* and *shooting*,
Augmenting intensely when *pressing*.

Torpor, weak pulse, and trembling within,
Apathy, hot head, and cool, sweaty skin,
Respiratory tracts Catarrhs rudely smite,
Tongue red in streaks on a base of pale white,
Auscultating the chest, with but half an ear
Rattling is heard over whole lung area;

Expectoration is absent, however,
Mucus remaining despite all endeavor,
Enervation grows greater, the *cough disappears*,
The face gets quite *blue*, which increases our fears;
In children a touch, or a look, will enrage,
Carried they must be, despite size or age.

After Acids, bathing, or heat,
Nausea both lasting and great,
Tongue coated with fur milky white;
If a child, it is cross and will fight;
Moonshine sentiment, jealousy, folly—
Or perhaps there may be melancholy;
Next, cutaneous malformation
In any and every location,
Unusually prone to nodosities,
May be, also, to corns or callosities.

Caressing the child provokes wrath;
Refuses to get in the bath.
Used in summer with heat atmospheric,
Disorders are Gastro-enteric;
Used also where flesh becomes more in
Men aged, as well as old wo-men.

Associate with Lachesis in diseases low—
Pains are like a bee-sting, they burn and sting, you know;
Inflammations serious in serous membranes rest,
Sequelæ scarlatinœ, Eruptions, when suppressed,

Meningitis, grinding teeth, as child in torpor lies,
Eyes squint, and head the pillow bores with encephalic cries,
Lids are swollen and turned out, when the eyes inflame,
Light is quite unbearable, and bandages the same,
Inflammations superficial, Erysipelas

Furnishing exception with its ugly purple mass;
In Dropsies without thirst, and skin of waxen hue—
Can't sleep, with urine scanty, mayhap high-colored too;
After Rhus, or just before it, no good will Apis do.

A condition of veins, when well understood,
Recalls it whenever its use will do good;
Namely, "*stasis*" and "*extravasation*" of blood.
It thus may be used after *Trauma* or *Strain*,
Convulsions, Contusions, or Cough with sore pain,
And Typhus' bad breath and petechial stain.

Anxiety, Asthma, Asthenia, All—
Restlessness great, fears Death's cruel call;
Small draughts, oft repeated, the thirst will assuage,
Each symptom at night doth more powerful rage.
Neuralgias with pains that unceasingly *burn*,
Intermittents which, quinia suppressed, still return;
Cold food or bad meat Gastralgia will cause—
Up comes food ingested with scarcely a pause;
Much burning complained of in all parts involved,
And often by warmth are the pains all dissolved.
Long-standing diseases with tissue-destruction,
Brittle, scaly, and dry, is cutaneous eruption.
Used in Diarrhea, with burning tenesmus,
Many nervous diseases, Dropsies, Ulcers, Marasmus.

Ailments, with thoughts suicidal in mind,
Ulcers from Merc'ry or Syph'lis combined,
Renal, Hepatic, and other affections
Usually marked by decided congestions;
Most always enlargement of Heart we will find,
Mental symptoms in frequency no ways behind;
Effecting the Bones, it is suited to Caries,
The bones most impressed being those of the Nares.

Besotted and stupid expression of face,
As in Fever Typhoidal (a typical case),
Preceded will oft by Gelseminum be,
The difference in symptoms being those of *degree;*
In regard to excretions their odor is bad,
Surface of tongue dark-brownish and red,
Illusions of sense—imagines he 's *double,*
And to unite his "halves" will tumble and trouble.

At *three* P. M. and *'leven* at night
The pains are apt to reach their height;
Rheumatism, Gout, Congestion great
Of Head, or Chest, or Womb, with weight,
Phlegmasia Alba Dolens too,
And all Inflammations of deep scarlet hue;
Brain and Meninges with blood are *filled*,
E'en ending in inflammation;
Leaping from bed in Delirium wild,
Looks 'round him in consternation,
Awakes in *fright*, the glass to *bite*,
Dilated Pupils, o'er *hot* the *head*,
O'er *cold* the *feet*, can't sleep at *night*,
Nerves twitching, with eruptions red,
Neuralgias and Hemorrhages by orgasms fed,
And plethoric women with menses ahead.

Bilious troubles, and others that *hot* weather sends,
Rheumatism, that comes when warm or when cool,
Yellow tongue that is *dry*, which symptom extends
Over mouth, down the throat, e'en including the stool;
Now the stool is beside quite large and quite hard,
Imitating the pulse in the latter regard,

Aconite-like in frequence and fullness and tension,
As found in the Fevers of every dimension.
Look out, when the pains *serous* membranes invest;
Beneficial *Eruptions*, when being suppressed,
After *motion*, much *worse* — while great thirst prevents rest.

Child *fat* and *fair* and *large* as to head,
Abdomen too is as round as a bowl,
"Like an inverted saucer," as authors have said,
Calcareous skin, light eyes, hair, and stool,
And sour sweat on head during sleep we will find,
Remembering that *fontanelles* too are unclosed,
Eyes, Ears, or Lymphatics affected may be,
And during *Dentition* 't is frequently used;

On *women* its action is prominent quite,
Suppressing the menses of fleshy young girls,
Traced to wet feet, with *whites* that are *white*,
Rush of blood to the head, which in vertigo whirls—
Either that or the menses too frequent will be,
Absorbing the strength in the blood that departs—
Resulting discharge being so very free—

Until Leucocythæmia new terrors imparts,
Making sad work till *Calcarea's* influence starts.

Cholera, Collapse, Cutaneous Coldness, Cramps,
A suppression of secretion this fell condition stamps;
May complain of burning pain, with blue and shriveled skin,
Prostration sudden and complete, with trembling within,
Hoarse and husky is the voice, the breath is very hot,
Obtuseness of the senses, with Diarrhea or not.
Retrocessed eruptions have occasioned this sad state;
Also spasmodic troubles may produce it soon or late.

Constant desire to urinate;

After act much burning and stinging;

Neck of Bladder and Bladder 't will irritate,
Tenesmus and strangury bringing;

His slumbers by *Chordee* are often disturbed,
After Gonorrhea's unwelcome call,

Restless and anxious, distressed and perturbed—
Inflamed Renal tracts—one or all—

Dysentery quite bloody, like scrapings of meat,
Eruptions Cutaneous that vesiculate.

Sexual desire 't will often inspire.

Chronic affections where weakness is great,

After Acute ones debilitate;

Remember in Ague inveterate made

By lengthened possession or Allopath's aid.

Old Peoples' diseases, cold breath and cold feet,

Venous stases; Secretions with smell of bad meat,

Excretions themselves have cadaverous odor;

Gastric troubles, with belching both rancid and sour;

Even food that is proper occasions distress,

Though taken with caution in quantities less.

Asks to be fanned, his Lungs craving air;

But Bowels and Stomach have "enough and to spare."

In Diarrhea stools like carrion smell;

Lymphatics that *burn* and oftentimes swell.

In Ulcers where sanious Pus meets the sight,

Symptoms from *four* until *six* reach their height.

Constipation and **C**ough with **C**atarrhal affection;
Appetite uncertain, imperfect digestion;

Unable to get up the phlegm which they swallow;
Stool voided with straining by patient so sallow;
Timid at **T**wilight, is **T**earful, and **T**rembles.
Incompatible with *Phos.*, which it nearly resembles—
Child—as to Lung, Throat, and Kidneys affected.
Urine spurts out when 't is *most unexpected;*
Morning Aggravation, worse Mental Exertion.

Children while teething will fret or will cry,
Have Colic severe and a night* Cough quite dry,
Are nervous and restless, in sleep start and toss,
Most intolerant of pain, incomparably cross;
Opium perhaps this condition producing.

Motion, when passive, all symptoms reducing;
In Diarrhea too, where actions are seen

Like "chopped eggs" with maybe a mixture of green,
Like *eggs* that are *rotten* they smell it is said,
And one cheek is pale while the other is red.

*Coughs in sleep without awaking.

Conditions where much vital fluid is lost,

Intermittents when Tertian or Quartan in kind;

Now Chill comes too late, or anon is too fast,

Congestions and thirst during heat we will find;

Hemorrhage too is long-lasting and *great*

Of *dark-clotted* blood, quite passive in flow;

Nervous, anemic, all foods aggravate,

As well as the night and the breezes that blow.

Debility, Dropsy, Dilatation,

Intermitting, uncertain heart-beat,

General affections of varied description,

If the Heart is the cause or the seat;

Thus Seminal Weakness may follow,

Also Stomach Disease or Choleric;

Loose, ashen the stools, skin is yellow,

Is worse from all warmth atmospheric,

Slow and Strong Pulse, else rapid and mellow.

Fiery red Face False Plethora shows,

Earthen again when Excitement all goes;

Red and Pale alternately the features are seen,
Reserving Chlorosis, when color is green;

Undigested the actions which follow the food;
Motion, if *slow*, is productive of good.

Menses frequent and lasting, profuse, and reducing,
Erethism, Exhaustion, and Dropsy producing,
Throbbing Headache with Dizziness also inducing.

Girls with Amenia
End with Hysteria.
Labor pains inefficient;
Spring-time Intermittent
E'en Paralysis producing;
Motion lost, sensation lying
Intact in parts affected,
Nervous one or child selected.
Used where Congestive Condition
Makes trouble at time of Dentition;

Severe Neuralgias indicate;
Eyes blurred and Face dark red—
"My head feels like a hundred weight,"
Patients oft have said—
Early in case is often given;
Remittents of little Children.
Vertigo complicates some diseases—
Involuntary loss with seminal weak-knees,
Rheumatism and cold in head,
Espec'ly in warm, wet weather.
Near to *Baptisia* on Typhoid's bed
Symptomatically joined together.

Grieving, Anxiety, Sadness, and Woe,
Rush of blood to the Head with much vertigo,
Anemia, with bodily heat very low;
Pale Menses are late and are scanty in flow;
Has profuse Leucorrhea, which is watery quite,
Is passing Climact'ric, Complexion is white;
The Bowels are torpid, Piles itch and are dry,
Ear, Skin, and Gland diseased, so is the Eye;
Sticky discharge all Eruptions surcharge.

Hastens Suppuration, Hasty diction,
Hasty action,
Else giving it *Early* in higher dilution

Preventeth the changes which cause Suppuration,
As when threatening the mamma or tonsils' destruction;
Ripe Colds, or a Croup after winds cold and dry
Says "a fish-bone there seems in my Larynx to lie;"
Uncovering aggravates pains we will find;

Loose stools, which are sour, to be white are inclined;
Post-scarlatinal affections 't will heal;

He is better just after ingesting a meal.

Ulcers are *sensitive*, smell like "*old cheese*."

Remember, "All metals it antidotes,"
Please!

Intermittents, with gastric complaints in *each* stage,
Post-quinial, with chill coming oft'nest at night;
"*Endless Nausea*," which nothing will serve to assuage;
Cholera Infantum with tongue coated white;
After food that is crude and hard to digest
Comes Diarrhea frothy, with Colic, as if
Umbilical region strong claws did invest;
Has Pertusses, is pale, but with cough, blue and stiff;
And Headaches and Spasms 't will aid it is said,
Next Hemorrhage with panting, and color bright red,
And when phlegm fills the Lungs, often exhibited.

Kyte* troubles with nausea and vomit emphatic,
Alternating perhaps with diseases Rheumatic.
Light hair and eyes, with some adiposity,

Is subject to Colds that tend to chronicity,

Blindness preceding the Headache intense,

Iritis, with lymph between that and the Lens,
Catarrhs with *Tenacious* and *Ropy Discharge*—
Hoarseness when chronic in Clergy or charge;
Round Ulcer, which always the Stomach selects;
Ophthalmia or other Syphilitic effects;

Membranous Croup of the typical kind,

If discharge is like that which above is defined;
Croupous Diphtheria or Diphtheritic Croup.
Ulcers look *punched*, as from finger-nail scoop.
May by Flux be attacked—Tongue dry, smooth and cracked.

*See Dunglison.

Low grades of Inflammation,
As well as Suppuration,
Cutaneous hyperesthesia seizes,
Harassing the subjects of diseases;
Erysipelas, Diphtheria too;
Scarlatina, *all purple in hue.*
In Fevers running an asthenic course,
Sleeping, he wakes with symptoms much worse,
Tongue black, and trembling, Delirious Brain,
Raves of his death and his funeral train,
Imagines his nurses to poison him seek,
Glands swollen and pulse intermittent and weak;
On the left side the troubles are often begun,
Next over to right side their course they will run.
After Fall cinchonizing the Ague, suppressed,
Comes back in the Spring with augmented zest;
Evening will find him with symptoms all worse;
Pneumonia or Asthma existence may curse.
Hemorrhage is black and does not congeal.
Apoplexy for cause will to whisky appeal.
Likewise in Gangrene with moist or dry rot;
Ulcers, when either in aged or sot;
Spasmus Glottidis, Hysterical or not.

Lung and Intestinal affections.
Yellow, wrinkled skin with Melancholia,
Chronic Cases with Constipation,
Or Acute Affections with Adynamia,
Paralyzed Lungs in Pneumonia threatens,
Or Paralyzed Brain in Typhoid dread;
Dropping of jaw, while eye looks fishy,
In low delirium slides down the bed.
Up from the table he quickly rises,
"My appetite is good," he says;
"Come, Doctor, this my mind surprises,
"Little fills me up so full these days."
"Ah, 't is the gas your stomach filling,
"Vast in proportion as you see,
"And worse *from four* to *eight* of evening;
"This will with other symptoms be."
Urine deposits "brick dust," like all secretions, sour;
Malnutrition with orgasms, and Ague with chill at four.

Most prominently acts upon Glands you will find,
Explaining most symptoms of body and mind;
Remember, in glandular *hyper-secretion*,
Called for as well in *their inflammation*,
Ulcers of Glands and *their suppuration*,
Results of a Scrofulous Constitution;
In *Syphilis* too with its myriad phases,
Ulcers, skin,- bone,- and gland-diseases;
Symptoms hepatic with some patients seen,
Stools color of sulphur, bloody mucus or green,
On tongue that is yellow the *tooth-prints* remain,
Lasting tenesmus, which to ease, stool is vain,
Usually much sweat will the bed-linen stain,
But is utterly futile to lighten the pain;
In damp, rainy weather a marked aggravation,
Likewise in the night or from overexertion.
In Coryza acute or in Toothache severe,
So also in Gleet or *acute* Gonorrhea.

Next to Quinine in fame Chills and Fever to quell,
After Quinine's abuse often serves us quite well;
The chill will appear at eleven each day,

Raging thirst being present that naught can allay;
Urticaria and headache together will rage,

Made better at last by a long sweating stage;

Menses late and quite scanty, or fail to appear,
Uterus so heavy prolapsus they fear,

Relief oft obtained from this trying condition
In pressure on back and reclining position;

"Aversion to bread, of which she once ate,"

Tongue "mapped," throbbing headache, all well indicate;
In Cholera Infantum with neck very thin;

Chlorosis accomp'nied by dead, dirty skin;

Urethral pains "cut" after each urination;
Much effort, stool crumbles, is "worse consolation."

After systems are soaked by Mercurius through,
Combined with the poison of Syphilis too,

Irregular outlines to Ulcers are seen,

Discharges are always *offensive* and *green*.

Ulcers and Piles produce "*sharp, pricking pains;*"
Maybe patient of "splinters in rectum" complains.

Next in Hemorrhage its service is frequent indeed;
Its Ulcers and Piles quite frequently bleed;
Typhoid Fever when Hemorrhages crimson deplete,
Red being their color wherever their seat;

In Chronic Gonorrhea and Secondary Syphilis,
Chronic Hepatitis and also Sycosis,

Urine a "horse-urine" odor will bear.

Most subjects are spare, with dark eyes and hair.

Nerves on an edge from mental strain,
Under Coffee, Tobacco, or Alcohol's rule,
'Xceeding Constipations pain,
Vast *urging* but *no* stool.
Oft wakes with Headache and Lassitude great;
Much pain in the sensitive Hemorrhoids too;
Is Depressed, Dyspeptic, and Dissipate,
Catches cold from *dry wind*, has Hernia too,
Aggravated by *food*—or *drug* strong and *crude*.

Obstinate Constipation from **O**'er-purging in the **O**ld,
Perhaps from **P**lumbic **P**oisoning, or **P**aralysis, 't is told;
Injuries to head, with body rather cold,

Unconscious lies in sopor, the pupils uncontrolled;
Most symptoms that arise from Fright in young or old.

Patient tall and slim and weedy,
He does not hear the human voice;
O'er quick of sense, the nerves unsteady,
Stools like a *Dog's*, or, very loose,
Pour *forth* in green or bloody stream,
Hoarse, *tickling*, dry, his cough would seem,
Oppressive tightness through the Chest,
Respiration quick oppressed.
Used also too where Bronchials fine
Seem *most* to show *Pneumonia's* sign.

Prostrated yet conscious, indifference great,

He answers, but straightway returns to this state.

Osseous troubles in children that grow up too quick;

School-girl Headache when patient is also Homesick;

After fluids are lost or Emotion distresses,

Chronic troubles appear or harassing Neuroses,

Involuntary, whitish and painless Diarrhea,

Debility less than from loss you would fear.

Proud as a queen, yet greatest depression,
Large things seem small, distrust and suspicion;
Ahead as to menses, much *dark clotted* blood,
Thus often for women Hysterical good;

Indurated and fallen the Womb we will find,
Neuralgias with pains that are *cramping* in kind,
And "putty-like" stools serving bowels to bind.

Patient has Diarrhea, chronic in kind,

Or acute Dysentery each morning,

Diarrhea coming often with gushing and wind;
Of his fluids the patient seems draining;

Prolapsus of *Anus* with *cramping* of limbs,

Having often a cause in hot weather;

Yellow, greenish, or bloody and sour-smelling stools,
Like jelly and mucus together,

Less often quite slimy or chalky in hue,

Undigested, and quite unexpected too,

Making Cholera Morbus a remedy true.

Patient good-natured, sighs, cries, has styes,

Unusually sad and foreboding;

Light hair, skin fair, bright azure eyes—

Stomach weak after much *overloading*,

As by *fat food*, by *pastry*, by *pork*, or ice-cream,

Tongue coated with fur that tastes bad;

Intermittents with gastric or bilious complaints;

Leucorrhea the menses instead,

Late menses, blood scanty and thin, or quite thick,
After *Iron* or *Quinine* have poisoned the sick;

Patient's moods and his symptoms quite *changeable* are,
Running the "wind flower" through,

And patient while "*airing*" is better by far;

Thirstless and *chilliness* too;

Eruptions repelled, and Eruptions themselves;

Nasal and other catarrhs;

Suits "Dysmen,-" "Amen,-" and many "orrheas;"

If there's a *thick, yellow-greenish discharge*,

Sequelæ of Measles, or Testes enlarge.

Rheumatism chronic, or coming with Fever,
Having for cause cool, damp, rainy weather,
Usually pains are aching and tearing,

Sleepless and anxious, his strength quickly wearing;
Typhoid too, with symptoms just said—

On The Tip of The Tongue a Triangular red,
'Xcitement of *body*, "he can not keep still,"

Inaction of *mind*, "he is stupid and dull;"

Continuous motion will *lessen the pain*,

On midnight's arrival it augments again.

During *rest* and *damp* weather affections are worse,
Exposure to rain may the troubles induce.

Next in vesicular Rashes, remember,

Dermatic alone or combined with some Fever;
Restlessness great all patients besetting;

Organic affections of Heart not forgetting,

Nor yet inflammation—from overexertion.

Scrawny Skin Shriveled, discolored and dry;
Easy Labor-pains *strongly* her *weakness* imply,
Childbed-fever inflaming the deep-staring eye,
Ante- and post-partum Hemorrhage too,
Liquid and passive, with dark, blackish hue,
"Excretions *offensive*" in all subjects true.

Sad and dejected, vehement withal,

Eruptions and spots mar the fine yellow skin;

Pregnant, Prolapsed, or Parturient the womb;

Indifferent and feeble, Dyspeptic and thin,

Amenorrhea or else Dysmenorrhea,

Early, *profuse*, or else *scanty* and *late;*

Stomach and bowels feel weak, empty, gone;

Uterus threat'ning to gravitate;

Crossing the nose is a *saddle* quite *yellow.*

Chronic Catarrh, Hysteria, and Gleet;

Urine is fetid, deposits light yellow;

Stasis in veins of her troubles the seat.

Suppuration in bone, in gland, joint, or skin;
Inflammations and Ills toward Scrofula point.
Lymphatic the child. Who, despite being thin,
Is big as to Abdomen, Cranium, and Joint;

Constipation with stools which when half out slip in,
Abscesses and Ulcers are deep with pus thin;

Sweat acrid on feet and profuse on the pate
In children whose fontanelles close very late;
Light makes adult Headache increase we will find;
Improvement from warmth, worse using the mind.
Caries, Necrosis, Impure Vaccination,

Affections of Spine, Perverted Nutrition.

Sequel is to *Aconite* in some diseases found,
Particularly when the Croup is on its annual round,
Or Heart Disease Organic is added to life's ills,
Night after night awakened by Suffocative spells;
Goitre too has found it a foe of greatest might,
In which the patient gaspeth with said smothering-spells at night;
As for the *Croup* alluded to, its drug relation shows
That it is "quite the caper" after cold, dry zephyr blows;
On coughing sound emitted like the barking of a dog,
Sounds in the throat when breathing like the sawing of a log.
Tuberculosis remember too, Orchitis do n't forget—
Afflicted ones are *very fair* and rather *lax* and *fat.*

Stoops, looks old, has wrinkled face,
Unusual red the nose,
Likes his beer—and bumps deface—
Philosophy jocose;
Happiness over little things,
Unusul merry, waking sings,
Religious fear the conscience stings.
Slumbers by Diarrhea cut off,
Urging, won't brook delay;
Legs, calves, and soles with cramps are stiff,
Piles Plethora Portal display,
Humid Tetters and varied affections of Skin;
Uproots disease the glands within,
Routs Scabies and Psora and *all things akin.*
Standing by far most unpleasant position;
Upper part of the head *hot* and full;
Long-lasting disease 'spite of drug exhibition;
Patient is "flushed" or is cool,
Hunger and goneness and weakness at eleven,
Unbearable Headache one day in each seven;
Refuses ablutions—has acrid excretions.

Very cold sweat on the forehead we find;
Exhausting diseases, spasmodic in kind,
Rigors and Cramps, cold surface, cold breath,
Asiatic Cholera, Collapse as of Death;
Tonic Spasms, especially of Puerp'ral state;
Rest helping, while motion and drink aggravate;
Uneven, tumultuous, irregular beat
May show when the Heart is of trouble the seat.

EXERCISES.

ACONITE FEVER.

S { Skin Dry,
  { Skin Hot,
  { Sleeplessness,

Thirst,

H { Hard Pulse,
  { High Temperature,

Erethism;

Nervous Irritation;

Injuries (after).

C { Continuous;
  { Covered Parts Sweat,

F { Full Pulse,
  { Forcible Pulse,
  { Fear of Death;

Evening and night aggravation;

Violence of Symptoms;

Even frenzy,

Restlessness.

Crude Antimony,

Causes

Cutaneous Affections, as

Corns and

Callosities.

Child has

Catarrhis Ventriculi; Tongue

Coated white; Is

Cross;

Can't bear bathing;

Cries if

Caressed.

Cause of

Condition,

Caloric, or

Cramming Stomach,

Corpulence.

Calcarea.

Catamenia

Comes too soon; After

Contact with water, Accompanied by
Chilliness,

Cold feet,

Cramps, as seen in

Corpulent Young Girls,

Consuming Strength.

Patient afraid she will go
Crazy. If a
Child, It is

Chalky, has an Unhealthy

Cuticle, a Big

Cranium; is

Constipated, with

Clay-

Colored Stools, or has

Chronic Diarrhea,

Copious and Watery.

Chamomilla.

Child is

Cutting teeth;

Has Colic,

Has Cough,

Has Coryza,

Is Cross; Wants to be

Carried; Has Diarrhea, like

Chopped eggs;

Cries out in Sleep;

One Cheek red—other pale.

CHINA.

Leucorrhea,

Or Diarrhea,

Sweat,

Semen,

Or Blood;

From Acute Disease,

From Indigestion,

Lactation,

Uterine Hemorrhage,

Intestinal Hemorrhage,

Discharges of any kind (if exhausting),

Sleep (loss of).

	Pulsatilla.
	Patient
	Phlegmatic,
	Peevish;
Improved by	Pure Air,
	Peregrinations;
Aggravated by	Pork and
	Pastry;
	Pregnant,
	Puerperal,
	Prolapsed,
Or has	Painful Menstruation,
With	Palpitation and
	Pressure in the Back (as of stone),
Also,	Poisoned by Quinine or Iron.
Associate	Platina.
In the	Pregnant,
	Puerperal,
	Prolapsed,
Here also	Pressure on
	Perineum.